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May 25, 1990

Ms. Maria Gonzalez Office of Regional Counsel (5CS-TUB-3) USEPA, Region V 230 South Dearborn Street Chicago, IL 60604

Dear Ms. Gonzalez:

Re: Request for Information Pursuant to CERCLA Section 104(e) and RCRA Section 3007--Chem Science, Inc. Site
Germantown, Wisconsin

This letter will respond to Mr. Bertram Frey's March 30 letter on the subject addressed to "Chem Line Industries, Inc." Corporation Trust Co., Corporation Trust Center, 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801. Mr. Frey's letter has been referred to my attention as environmental counsel for Armstrong World Industries, Inc., which is the parent company of Chemline Industries, Inc., a Delaware corporation, with principal offices in Carson City, Nevada, and this letter is written in behalf of Chemline as Respondent.

We suspect that Mr. Frey's information request has been mistakenly forwarded to Chemline Industries, Inc. due to a similarity in name. At one time, we were aware of several other companies using the name "Chemline." Chemline Industries, Inc., the Delaware corporation and wholly-owned subsidiary of Armstrong World Industries, Inc., has investigated as to whether it has ever been involved with the matters set forth in the information request and determined that it has no knowledge or documents whatsoever of any contact, relationship or information regarding the Chem Science Site or any of the individuals or entities identified in Question 8 of the Information Request.

If you have any information which specifically identifies Chemline Industries, Inc., a Delaware corporation, located in Carson City, Nevada, to the site in any way in which we are not aware, please provide me with that information as soon as possible. Otherwise, we can only assume that this is a case of mistaken identity as this Respondent is completely without knowledge or records relating to the matter in inquiry.

Should there be a need for any further contacts regarding this matter, please direct them to my attention as attorney for Chemline, as follows:

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Sincerely,

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